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Salem State College Yearbook Dedication
May 15, 2000

Program Council hereby dedicates the 2000 Clipper Yearbook to Ms. Amy Saulich, for her outstanding commitment, effort and loyalty to every member of the Salem State College community.

Prior to her position as Program Advisor, Ms. Saulich held various positions within college communities. She was a teacher of English as a Second Language at Northeastern University, an instructor for a diverse group of students at The Pennsylvania State University and Suffolk University, a teacher at Pine Manor College English Language Institute, and an Activities Coordinator at the Center for International Education at Salem State College.

Ms. Saulich maintained a 4.0 GPA while achieving her Master of Arts in Teaching English as a Second Language at The Pennsylvania State University. She also graduated Cum Laude from Tufts University with a Bachelor of Arts in Spanish.

As Program Advisor, Ms. Saulich is either in a meeting with one of her countless groups and clubs, or at an on-campus event. She has attended nearly every Program Council event, which start long after the typical working day has ended. She is also responsible for the creation of the Holocaust Remembrance Day, the co-creation of Campus Educators on Sexual Assault (CESA), and the excellence of Sexual Assault Prevention Week, Welcome Week, Senior Week, and innumerable others.

Ms. Saulich's dedication to both her career and students is evident in every avenue of her life. She is seen as a personal advisor for a vast number of students. Despite her chaotic schedule, Ms. Saulich always finds time to listen to a student's personal crisis and offer advice, as well as a hopeful perspective. She is always there for each and every student. She is the first person to volunteer not only her time, but also her stories and experience. Every student is always welcome in her office and her life.

Ms. Amy Saulich is an outstanding Program Advisor and an outstanding woman. In recognition of her tireless commitment to the students of Salem State College and the academic institution as a whole, we are honored to dedicate the 2000 Clipper Yearbook to Amy Saulich.

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THEATRE
Entrance

Good Morning
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Year In Review

August/September

Welcome Week, Michael Anthony -Hypnotist

Commuter Appreciation Day

Orientation Leaders

Salem State Drink Out

Groups And Clubs Fair

Orientation-Karaoke

Latino Art Exhibit- Hispanic Heritage Month

Catholic Student Community Event

October

Haunted Happenings

Homecoming Parade

Viking Spirit Award Semi-Finals

HAS Latino Heritage Dinner

MASSPIRG PB&J Day

WMWM Halloween Show

Alliance Guest Speaker Charles Perez

SGA Retreat

Haunted Happenings

November/December

Holiday Ceremony

AIDS Benefit Dance

Kwanzaa Ball

WMWM Local Rock Show

Kwanzaa Ball

SGA Holiday Dinner

NACA Regional Conference

January/February

Joseph Matzner, Holocaust Survivor

Take Our Daughters To Work Day

Rally Against Hate Crimes

Volunteer Fair

Valentine's Day Pictures With Cupid

Caricaturist

Cultural Night

Cultural Night

March

Spring Fling

Suitcase Dance

Evasons Illusion Show

Women's History Month Dinner

Women's History Month Dinner

April

Battle of the Bands

Spring Week Luau

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Sojourner Truth Dinner

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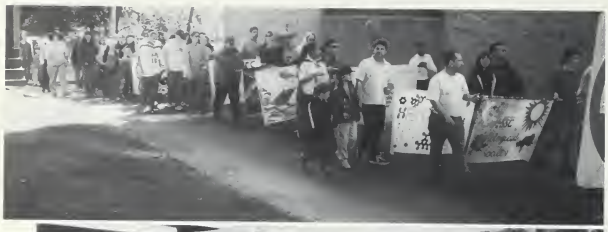

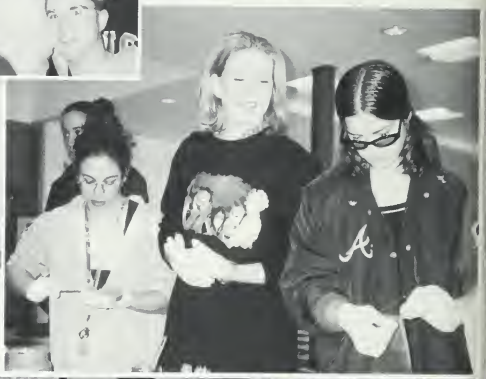

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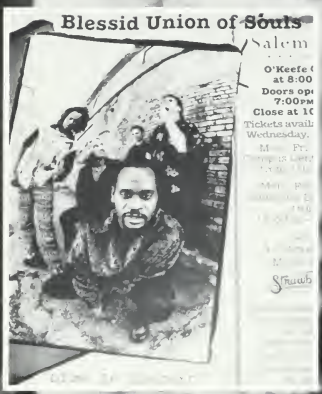
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Doors op
7:00pm
Close at 1
Tickets avail
Wednesday.

Groups And Clubs

Accounting Association

The Accounting Association is a group designed to bring accounting students together and give them a forum to discuss opportunities available to them upon graduation. The Accounting Association offers free tutoring, luncheons, and discussions on resume writing, interviewing skills, and certification review programs.

From left to right: Angela Decker (Vice President) Troy Lewis (Secretary), Christy Marques (President) Missing from photo: Brian LaPointe (Treasurer), Ellen Wright (Student Representative).

African American Student Association

This group was established to provide unity and cohesiveness among the African-American students and to enhance the well-being of all minorities.

From left to right: Cory Manhertz, Aisha Browder, George Thermidor, Shawn Newton, Nikia Sadler, Yasmeen Ward, Reggie Pierre.

Biological Society

The purpose of the Biological Society is to provide an opportunity for college biology, physics, and chemistry students to come together and share common ideas, interests, goals and career objectives. The Society provides tutoring in Biology courses and the possibility to expand one's knowledge of Biology through personal and group projects.

Front row (L to R): Kitty Chase, Christine Browne, Mike Dillon, Michelle Ferrante, Nick Scire, Jen Evans, Selena Armistead, Matt Valente.
Back Row (L to R): Antonia Dariotos, Steve Valente, Mike Belyca, Jeremy Cronin, Maureen Varina, Justin Brown, Dave Sullivan, Mark Miller, Mark Chesley.

Catholic Student Community

The Catholic Student Community strives to provide students with connectedness and support in the development of the spiritual, intellectual and social dimensions of life.

Front row (L to R): Domingo Guillen (Vice President) Daniel Ramos (Assistant Treasurer)
Back row (L to R): Anne DiTonno (President), Colleen Connolly (Secretary), Sister Muriel Lemoine (Advisor), Patricia Francis (Crombie Street Outreach Coordinator).

Florence Luscomb Women's Center

The Center is designed to promote learning experiences regarding issues confronting women of Salem State College by providing a drop-in center, activities, programs, and access to the resources of the Center to the North Shore Community.

From left to right: Otniela Andrade (Secretary), Betsaida Gonzalez (President), Michele E. Weche (Vice President), Nadege Boucard (Treasurer).

Future Educators of America

This organization helps expand our knowledge of current educational techniques and practices, networks with practicing professionals, and helps to become effective teachers to enrich the future of America's schools.

Front row (L to R): Betsaida Gonzalez (president), Kristin Howell (vice president), Vikki Withrow (chair).
Back row (L to R): Kevin Konradt (secretary), Ellen Latham (chair), Mandy Porter (treasurer).

Gay/Straight Alliance

A place for the gay/straight college community to come and discuss current issues, receive support, and to provide a healthy social atmosphere. Our goal is to create an awareness of diversity and have fun.

Front row (L to R): Jennifer Lawton, Aili Knight, Josiah Richards, Katie Gillette, Jen Purdy, Katie Drew, Guylyn Cafaro, Denise Pinto.
Back row (L to R): Jim Maynard, Jenna Wood, Adam Musto, Brian S. Tene, Greg M. Clement, Anthony Heath.

Haitian American Caribbean Organization

HACO promotes unity amongst the SSC community. Our purpose is to collaborate with other groups and clubs on and off campus to bring forth awareness and change for a better tomorrow. We also focus on sharing the rich cultures of Haiti as well as the many islands of the Caribbean.

Front row (L to R): Louis Gregoire (Coordinator),
Back row (L to R): Kettly St. Jean (Vice President), Erga S. Pierrette (President), Yolking Goin (Secretary), Mitsie Cazeau (Co-Coordinator).

Hispanic American Society

The HAS is a group of dedicated Latinos, determined to serve and educate the SSC community on the beauty and diversity that exists in our culture. Our commitment to the empowerment of students in our campus is the driving force that enables us to struggle for unity and the preservation of our culture.

From left to right: Betsaida Gonzalez (Member), Elizabeth Lavasta (President), Daniel Ramos (Co-Coordinator), Lucy Corchado (Advisor), Gregory Diaz (Treasurer).

International Student Association

The ISA seeks to foster international awareness and cultural exchange both among members of the college and surrounding community. To do so, we have a variety of activities and programs such as international dinners, cultural night, fairs, speakers, and the teach-in program.

From left to right: Jugo Walter, Kristina Nink, Lee P. Zheng.

Program Council

Program Council develops, organizes, and implements programs which serve the cultural, educational, recreational, and social interests of the student bodyand the Salem State College community.

Front row (L to R):Andrea Marren(Secretary), Kelly DiSaia, Tiffany Sims (President)
Middle Row (L to R) Lauren Gelin, Matt Wall, Nicole Daly, Kim Serrecchia, David Paul, Alissa Lynskey, Back Row (L to R) Amy Saulich (Advisor) Jim White, Michaeline Menz, Jared Duemling, Chris Rossi (Vice President), Danielle Meuse, Brian Tene, Patrick Wilkinson, Chris Hall

Public Relations Student Society of America

Founded in 1968 to cultivate a relationship between students and professional public relations practitioners, PRSSA is the pre-eminent pre-professional public relations organization in the world. The SSC chapter of PRSSA offers students the opportunity for scholarships, professional development, and membership in PRSA upon graduation.

Front row (L to R): Erin McNamee (President), Louisa Carter, Casey Demoree.
Back row (L to R): Karen Young, Dr. Sandra Fowler (Advisor), Patrick Kenney, Ed Justen (Vice Presi dent), Kelly Ahlquist (Treasurer), Christine Diagle (Secretary), Emmanuel Tickelis.

Repertory Dance Theatre

The Repertory Dance Theatre is a dance company on a professional level of the highest caliber. The company is geared toward performances and lecture demónstrations. It also sponsors a series of master classes that give instruction and technique in choreography to students in order to heighten the level of college and community interest in the art of dance.

Student Government Association

The SGA is the elected representative body of students and the primary voice of the students in dealing with administration, faculty, and legislators.

Front row (L to R): Erga Pierrette, Bonnie Cheever, Fatima Abdalla, Jonathan Ring, Kareemah Jamal, Heather Ingerson (Secretary). Back row (L to R): Greg Clement (Advisor), Victor Santana, Karen Rawlinson (Office Secretary), Brian Tene (Assistant Treasurer), Cory Manhertz (President), Mandy Porter, Kate Piscatori (Vice President), Neil Turmenne (Treasurer), David Paul, Sarah Cushing, Matt Wall, Terri Randall.

Student Nurses Association

The SNA encourages student nurses to join together as a body to improve and enhance nursing development within SSC and the community. Another goal is to improve nursing education as a whole.

Pictured: Lindsay Moore

Student Theater Ensemble

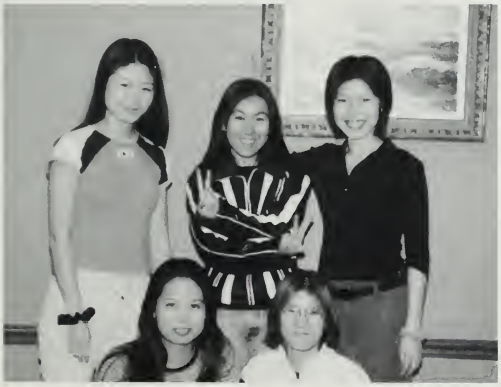
STE is a group of students dedicated to the theater arts. They focus on producing and presenting plays to the student body. STE is open to all students and welcomes new talent.

Front row: Joseph J. Carey (President)
Second row (Lto R): Theodore R. Clement (Vice President), Suzanne E. Bibilos (Business Manager), Nancy Gerard (Assistant Secretary)
Back row (L to R): Noel Henebury (Member-at-Large), Kerri Luongo (Publicist), Gina Castrini (House Manager).

Travel Career Association

The purpose of the TCA is to provide a professional affiliation for Salem State College students in the travel industry. The association is designed to provide learning experiences for Salem State College students and to extend the resources of the college to the travel industry.

From L to R: Alicia Depena, Denise Valdez, Anna Borglin, Rie Idemoto.



Vietnamese Student Association

The VSA has been recognized for almost three years. The VSA will continue its great involvement of group activities of the past few years. Thanks and best wishes to all VSA club members.

Front row (L to R): Phuong Nguyen, Kyna Tran
Back row (L to R): Elaine Cung, Thanh Tran, Thuy Cung.

WMWM

An FCC licensed educational radio station. WMWM serves the Salem State College community and surrounding areas by diverse programming.

Front row (L to R): Tim Barry, Elizabeth Bochnich, Danielle Harris, Lisa Jensen.
Back row (L to R): Patti Giangregorio, Johnny Jimenez, Phil Magiacomo, Sleeveless Steve Nowell, Jeff Hickman, Mike Balzotti, Mitch Bristol.

Yearbook

The SSC Clipper Yearbook is responsible for developing and designing the yearbook, and for preparing it for production.

(Right): Toni Berlandi, Editor-in-Chief

(Below L to R):
Jaime Robillard , Assistant Editor-in-Chief
Vuoch Kim, Photographer

(Missing): Alaine Daniels , Editor,
Groups & Clubs Section

UNDERGROUND

FLORENCE LUSCOMB
Women's Center

Athletics

Men's Cross Country

The Viking harriers, under the guidance of 11th year head coach Stephen Czarnecki, placed third at the MASCAC Championships held at Westfield. SSC produced a third place and three fourth place finishes during the fall.

Honors: Junior Dan Smith won the MASCAC Championship meet, earned All-MASCAC and All-New England honors and was selected team MVP.

Women's Cross Country

MEETS:
UMass Dartmouth Invitational
Pop Crowell Invitational at Gordon
Babson College Invitational
Gordon College
Regis College Invitational
MASCAC Championships at Westfield
Alliance Championships at Keene, NH
ECAC Div. 3 Championships at Tufts
NCAA Div. 3 Regionals at Babson

Fourth year head coach Julie Goddwin directed her squad to a fourth place showing at the MASCAC Championships, despite their lack of numbers.

Honors: Junior Marissa Petrillo was chosen Team MVP and finished in sixth place to earn All-MASCAC honors.

Field Hockey

Second year head coach Kathy O'Leary guided the Lady Viking sticksters to share the MASCAC crown with Westfield State. After a tough start, SSC regrouped to post an 8-2 record over its final ten matches. SSC shutout Westfield and Bridgewater in its final two matches to secure a piece of the MASCAC title.

Honors: Senior Leanne Harris, who was chosen Team MVP and SSC's female President's Cup Award recipient, and sophomore Megan Smith were selected first team All-MASCAC. Smith, who was playing at the college level for the first time, was chosen MASCAC Rookie of the Year. Senior forward Morgan Stygles and sophomore Irene Korisianos were named All-MASCAC second team selections.

Men's Soccer

For the 12th time, the Vikings earned a bid to the NCAA Division 3 tournament. They earned a spot in the national playoffs by capturing the MASCAC regular season championship for the 13th time since the league began play in 1971. After a 1-2-1 start to the season, SSC turned it around winning 13 of its final 14 regular season matches. The Vikings won an NCAA playoff game for the first time since 1990 and appeared in the New England regional title match for the sixth time.

Honors: Sophomore league scoring champion Anibal Mazrrani was voted MASCAC Player of the Year and first team All-MASCAC. He scored a single season school record 25 goals. Senior Osvaldo Dos Reis and freshman Donald Auguste were chosen to the All-MASCAC first team while junior Vilbrun St. Louis and sophomore O'Neill Gray were selected All-MASCAC second team members. Dos Reis, who was selected co-recipient of SSC's top male Student Athlete Award, was chosen first team All-New England and third team All-America, and shared SSC's Team MVP honor with Mazrrani.

Women's Soccer

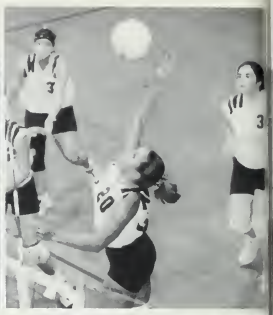
Honors: Junior Lauren Trechok, who was chosen Team MVP, and freshman K.C. Sartwell were selected first team All-MASCAC. Junior Maryann Quinn and freshmen Michele Caporale and Tanya Amabile were chosen All-MASCAC second team members.

Women's Tennis

The Lady Vikings, under the direction of first year head coach Joe Dunn, were the surprise performers during SSC's fall campaign. Dunn's squad followed up a winless (0-7) 1998 season by producing a winning record in 1999. After a 1-3-1 start, SSC won five of its remaining seven matches to finish 6-5-1. In the final match against Simmons, the Lady Vikings came from behind to achieve their winning season.

Honors: Sophomore Loralee Plotka was named Team MVP.

Volleyball



With a roster consisting of only seven players, co-head coaches Bette Bailey and Andrew Viselli guided the Lady Viking spikers to a second place regular season finish in the MASCAC.

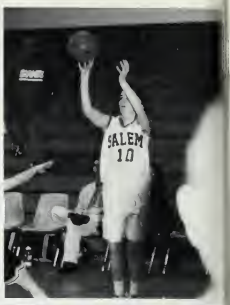
Honors: Bailey and Viselli shared MASCAC Coach of the Year honors. Senior Liz Bonfanti was selected to both the All-MASCAC first team and the MASCAC postseason tournament team. Junior Janelle Carbone was chosen Team MVP and first team All-MASCAC. Senior Liz Rodels was named second team All-MASCAC.

Men's Basketball

The Vikings made the program's first ever NCAA Final Four appearance after being selected for the tournament for the 14th time. SSC won the MASCAC playoffs for the eight time in the tournament's 11 year history. The Vikings finished as regular season co-champs with Worcester. It marked SSC's 16th regular season league title in the conference's 28 year history. The Vikings took third place honors in Salem, VA.

Honors: Senior guard Tishaun Jenkins named the program's first ever first team All-American. Jenkins was chosen Player of The Year in the MASCAC and Northeast region, and ECAC-New England Player of the year. He was named to the Final Four all-tournament team as well as the All-MASCAC, All-New England and All-ECAC teams. He was named Team MVP and was a recipient of the SSC President's Cup. Junior center Gus White was voted second team All-MASCAC. Head Coach Brian Meehan was selected Northeast Region Coach of the year.

Women's Basketball



The Lady Vikings won 17 consecutive games and earned an NCAA tournament bid for the 17th time in school history after starting the season with a 3-6 record. SSC, who won 19 of 20 games prior to being eliminated in the second round of the NCAAs by eventual national finalist Southern Maine, won the MASCAC regular season crown for the 16th time. They also won the league postseason championship for the 10th time in the tournaments 11 year history.

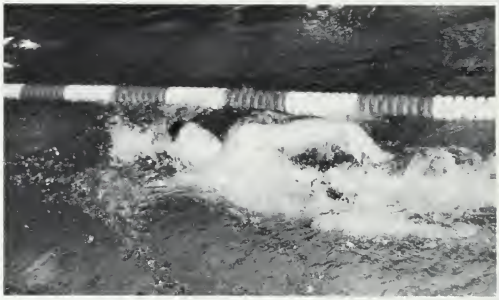
Honors: Freshman guard Kara Smolinsky was voted MASCAC Rookie of the Year and second team All-MASCAC. Senior guard Adreinne Johnson and Junior guard Melissa Smock were selected first team All-MASCAC. Head Coach Tim Shea was chosen MASCAC Coach of the Year. Johnson was also selected Team MVP, first team All-New England and first team All-ECAC. Senior center Kara Lunden was chosen as SSC's top female Student Athlete Award recipient. Smock was named first team All-New England and a Kodak Division 3 honorable mention All-American selection. Johnson and Lunden were picked to play in the NEWBA Senior All-Star Classic.

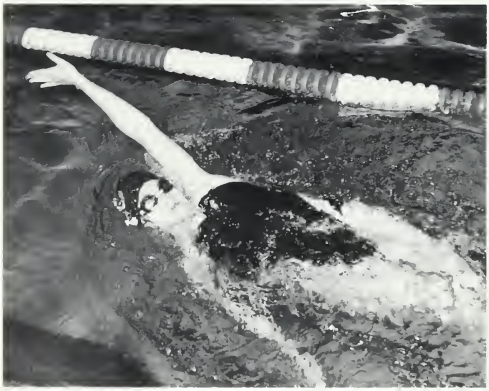
Ice Hockey

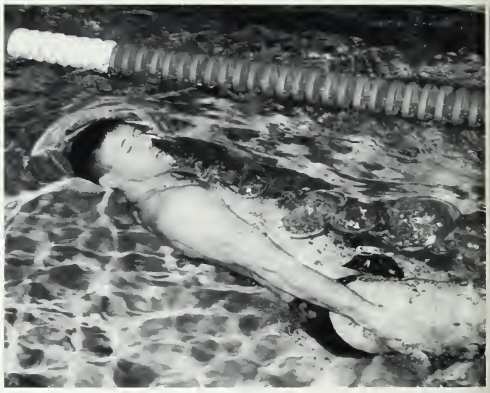
The Vikings were awarded an ECAC postseason tournament bid for the 28th time in the last 29 years. SSC proved it belonged among the elite of Division 3 hockey by advancing to the East final against eventual national champion Norwich University. SSC was just nipped, 3-2, by the heavily favored Cadets for the automatic qualifying berth to the NCAA tournament. The Vikings' mark of 15-9-3 extended the program's number of victorious final season records to 38 in the program's 39 year history.

Honors: Senior Louie Mastromarino was chosen second team East All-American and ECAC East Goaltender of the year. Mastromarino was also voted to the All-ECAC East second team and All-MASCAC first team. Junior froward Michael O'Brien was picked All-ECAC East second team and All-MASCAC first team. Senior Jason Vaughn was named to the All-MASCAC first team. Senior Brett Schafler and Junior David Cooper were selected to the All-MASCAC second team. Mastromarino was also selected Team MVP and was recipient of SSC's President's Cup.

Men's and Women's Swimming



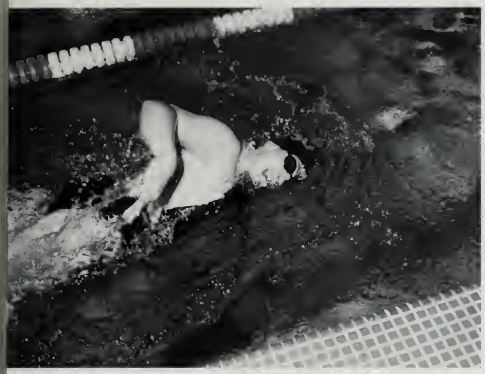


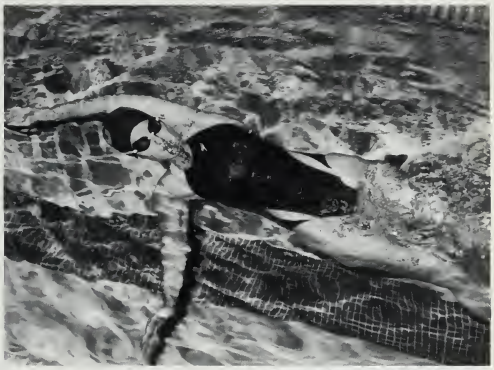


The men's program struggled this winter going winless in the process under second year Head Coach Dan Warner. SSC did qualify some individuals who competed at the New England Championships at Bowdoin.

Senior Adam Moskal was selected as Team MVP.

Men's and Women's Swimming

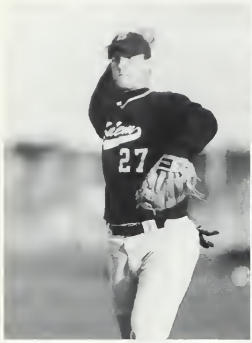




The women's swimming program, guided by second year head coach Dan Warner experienced a similar season as the men with the exception of coming out on top side of one meet. SSC did qualify some individuals who competed at the New Englan Championships at Bowdoin.

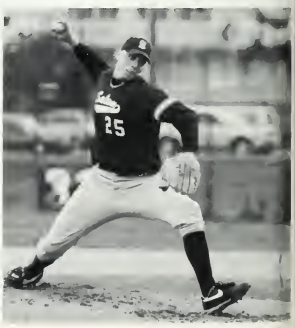
Junior Ashley Herrick was named Team MVP.

Baseball

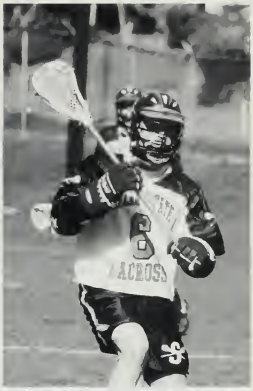


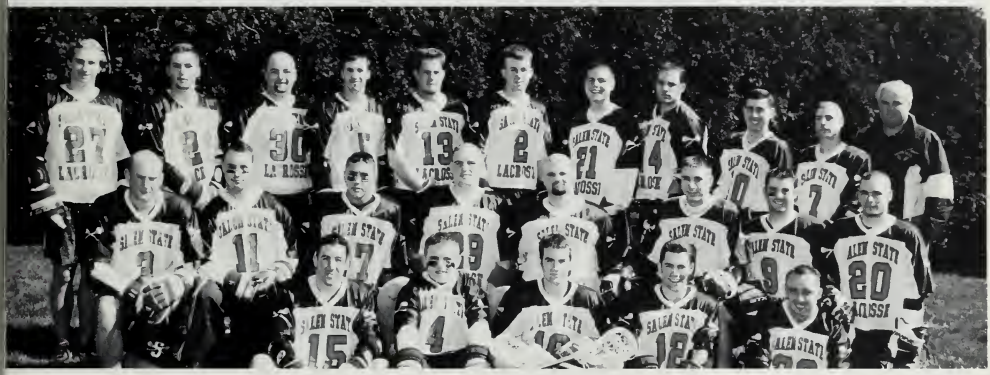
The Vikings, under the direction of 18 year Head Coach Ken Perrone, were chosen for the ECAC New England Tournament for the 13th time in school history despite posting a 12-13 Northern record. SSC, which has received a dozen ECAC bids during Perrone's tenure, upset No. 3 seed Amherst in the first round prior to dropping an 8-7 heartbreaker to No. 2 seed Tufts in the semifinal round. The No. 6 seed Vikings picked to finish third in the MASCAC preseason coaches poll, placed in a tie for third with Westfield at 7-7.

Honors: Senior Geoff Eriksen was named Team MVP, first team All-MASCAC and was a recipient of SSC's Student Athlete Award.



Men's Lacrosse





The Vikings set a single season school record for wins when they posted five victories under first year Head Coach Rick Anderson. However, SSC did not win a match against Pilgrim League competition and finished last in the Northwest Division. The SSC program, which began it's first year of play at the NCAA Division 3 level in 1997 had recorded just seven wins over the first three years as a varsity program.

Senior Trevlor Eaton was selected as Team MVP.

Women's Lacrosse

SSC competed at the varsity level for the first time in school history. SSC is a member of the Northern Division in the 16 team New England Women's Lacrosse Alliance (NEWLA). Despite losing the ten matches they played, the Lady Vikings played with enthusiasm and pride under the guidance of Head Coach Amy Everitt.

Freshman goaltender Becky Budynkiewicz was named Team MVP.

Softball

The Lady Vikings, picked to finish third in the MASCAC preseason coaches poll posted a 4-10 conference record en route to a sixth place showing. SSC dropped 11 of its final 14 games to post a final record of 14-20. SSC's season highlight was an 8-5 road win over eventual Division 3 College World Series participant Tufts University. SSC was also involved in three 1-0 decisions, winning two of them.

Honors: Senior centerfielder Leanne Harris was named SSC's female President's Cup Award recipient for the second straight year and both first team All-MASCAC and first team All-New England for the fourth consecutive year. She also shared MASCAC Player of the Year honors with Bridewater State pitcher Amanda Sanson.

Men's Tennis

The Vikings, under guidance of first year Head Coach Greg LaBelle, posted a single season school record of 12 victories. Division 3 SSC defeated Babson College for the first time since 1985 and Division 2 institutions UMass Lowell and Stonehill. Four of the Vikings' wins were shutouts. SSC also captured the mythical MASCAC title defeating state college rivals Worcester and Bridgewater.

Freshman Soufiane Rechag from Morocco, who went undefeated at 13-0 and did not lose one of the 26 sets he played, was named Team MVP.

Men and Women's Track & Field

Honors: (Male Vikings) Jeffery Rockwood was named Team MVP and All-Alliance. Scott Conley was named All-MASCAC and All-Alliance. Dan Smith, Adam Bruno and Steve Jacoby were also named All-Alliance.

Honors: (Lady Vikings) Morgan Stygles was named Team MVP, All-MASCAC, All-Alliance, All-New England, and All-ECAC. Amber Staples, Jessica Hannington, and Cheri Fabrizio were named All-Alliance.

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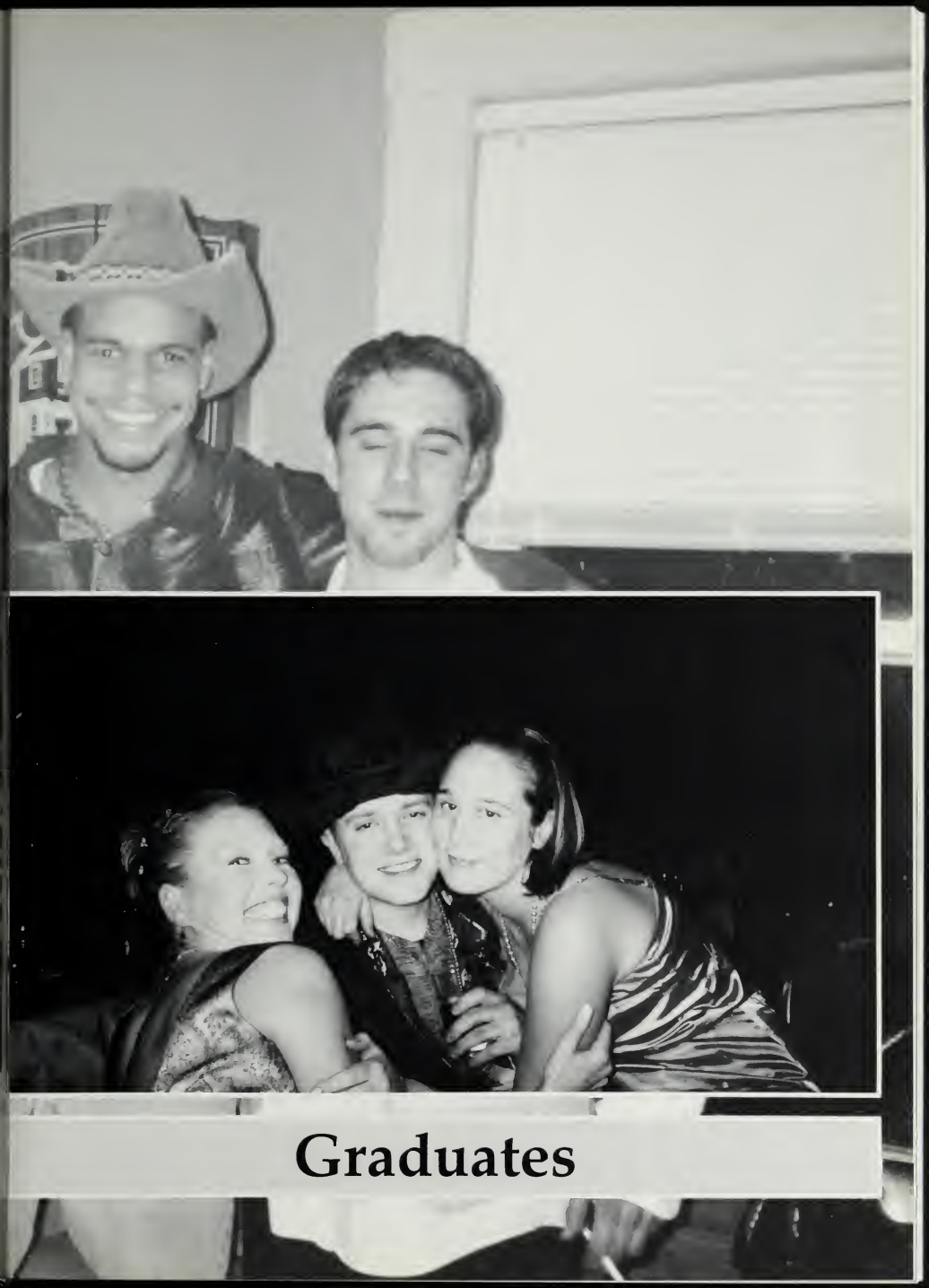

Graduates

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Rachel E. Aiello
Sports, Fitness and Leisure

Takuya Akaza
Economics

Chris Alexander
Business/Finance

Sonja Allison
Nursing

Barry Alves
Criminal Justice

Stacey Anderson
Geography

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Early Childhood Education

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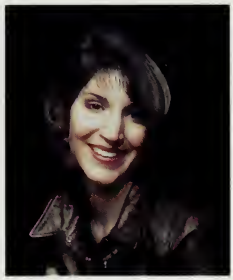
Business

Kate Aucella
Communcations

Nicole Babine
Psychology

Margaret M. Bailey
Psychology



Jen Baillargeon
Education

Michelle Baker
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Douglas A. Bean
Criminal Justice

Rachel E. Beard
Theatre

Catherine I. Bellaconis
English

Donna Berube
Education

Christine Bettencourt
Education

Teresa G. Bilicki
Social Work

Kori Bjorklund
Buisiness Management

Karl Blake
Criminal Justice

Kelly Bonner
Graphic Design

Anna-Carin Borglin
Geography

Melissa J. Boris
Geography

Kristine M. Breen
Art

Melissa Brown
Sports, Fitness and Leisure

Christine Browne
Marine Biology

Jessica Brunelle
Business Administration

Tara M. Busbee
Education

Maria A. Cappuccio
Marketing

Louisa E. Carter
Communications

Paul M. Caruso
Psychology

Stephen Caruso
Criminal Justice

Dina Casimir
Nursing

Carol A. Caswell
Psychology

Cilamene Cenescar
Business

Michael Chamberlain
Psychology

Catherine Chase
Biology

Micheal Kaba Chege
Geography

Mark Chesley
Chemistry

Patricia Clarke
Finance

Athena Clay
Theatre Arts

Kristen Cohen
Nursing

Derek A. Colella
Sport, Fitness and Leisure

Stephanie Collins-Rankin
Theatre

Jennifer Connolly
Education

Elizabeth Conroy
Nursing

Kelley E. Conway
Psychology

Andrea Corey
Sociology

Michelle Corey
Business

Maria Coscia
Psychology

Jamie Cowan
Psychology

Jeff Crompton
Business

Meghan Curtis
Education

Katie Cutts
Education

Joseph D'Angelo
Accounting

Antonia Dariotis
Biology

Nicole Suzanne D'Attilio
Education

Radina A. DeCosta
Social Work

Karla DeLeon
Political Science

Angela A. Decker
Business

Melissa Dempsey-Tedesco
Nursing

Kevin E. Depathy
Criminal Justice

Melissa DiBiasio
Elementary Education

Elizabeth A. DiGianni
Nursing

Tanya DiRusso
Education

April DiVirgilio
Biology

Tiffany Diaz
Nursing

Micheal Dillon
Biology

Jarrod Donovan
Psychology

Jennifer Donovan
Sociology

Osvaldo DosReis
Communications

Bill Doughty
Art

Kevin Downey
Sports, Fitness and Leisure

Nicole M. Ducharme
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Suzanne Dumas
Biology

Kathleen Edwards
Biology

Lisa M. Egan
Early Childhood Education

Wendy M. Elswick
Social Work

Alicen Fisher
Sociology

Cheri D. Fabrizio
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Biology

Kristen D. Finn
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Management

Patricia A. Flannery
Communications

Mara Flannery-Rossi
English

Hollie Fleming
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Rachel Flint
Nursing

Jamie Focht
English

Jennifer Focht
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Astride Francoeur
Psychology

Winda Francois
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Jannell Frederick
Criminal Justice

Kelly Furtado
Sociology

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Gepgraphy

John Gagnon
Computer Science

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Albert J. Gee
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Catherine Gillette
General Studies

Janel Gillis
Criminal Justice

Jessica Gillis
Art

Melissa A. Gnoza
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Elizabeth Gonzalez
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Dorothy Gordon
English

Henrietta Goyzman
Business

Jessica Grady
Business Administration

Andrea Gratton
Communications

Jessica Hannan
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Rukmal Karunathilaka

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Education

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Management Information Systems

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Thomas J. Lavoie
Athletics

Cristina G. Lazea
Business

Steven Leonard
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Education

Mary E. Little

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Business Administration

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Social Work

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Finance

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Psychology

Juanita T. Lynch
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Biology

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Richard T. McIntosh
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Heather McKeone
Psychology

Christabelle McLean
Psychology

Michelle Meadows
Communications

Angela Meade
Theatre

Kara Melanson
Education

Lauren Melanson
Biology

Gilda Melcher
Education

Patricia A. Mendonca
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Kerri A. Merowski
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Lillian Messina
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Biology

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Melissa Saulnier
Elementary Education

Melanie Scialdone
Business

Nicholas J. Scire
Biology

Robin E. Scott
English

Kenneth Scourtas
Business

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Business

Jodi Silver
Elementary Education

Sandra Siriani
Elementary Education

Bunroth So
Education

Alicia M. Sok
Criminal Justice

Rady Sor
Business

Melanie St. Louis
Business

Dana Steffan
Education

Derek Strain
Mathematics

Sonja St. Pierre
Social Work

Mahlet Tafari
Psychology

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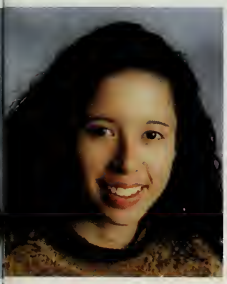

Denise Valdez
Geography

Matthew S. Valente
Biology

Maureen Varina
Biology

Linda D. Vietri
Business

Tara M. Vietri
Management Information Systems

Denise Vinciarelli
History

Matthew Wall
Business/Marketing

Laura Weiss
Education

Nathalie Weizman
Biology

Scott Wheeler
Psychology

Patrick R. Wilkinson
Business

Wendy Williams
English

Ruth Worrall
Photography

Ellen Wright
Criminal Justice

Nicole Zagranis
Psychology

Senior Profiles

Favorite SSC Event:

Spring Fling
Wellness Fair
Darwin Festival
Delta Mu Delta Induction
Guys and Dolls Performance
Last Lecture Series
AASA Trip to NY
Geography Convention
WMWM Local Music Rock Concert
Rubber Chicken Toss
Basketball Games
Halloween in downtown Salem
Readings during Community Time
PSA Trip to Washington D.C.
Laser Tag
AMA Conference in New Orleans
Best of the Best Competition
Spring Dance Concert
Violent Femmes Concert
Kwanzaa Ball
Last Day of Finals
Senior Week
Graduation

Fondest SSC Memory:

Friends
Meeting the love of my life
Roommates
Trip to Italy w/Sociology Dept.
Taking my last final exam
Spring Break 99 to UK
Moving in freshman year
Swim meet at Williams College
Lunch breaks at Bagel World
Shopping during breaks
Soccer teammates & coach
Relief after presentations
Hanging out at Yellow Dog Cafe
Wonderful professors
Psi Chi
Being an R.A.
Student Teaching
Working at Cat Cove
Living in the dorms
Maniac's Corner
Going to Spring Fling every year
Some excellent classes
Finally graduating!!!

Family Messages

Jenelle Herlihy

You've made us proud. Congratulations and good luck!

Love Mom and Dad

Karyn Kelly Burns

I'm so proud of you Kel. You've made my dream come true. Now make your own dreams come true.

Love Ima

Nathalie Weizmann

Congratulations! We are very proud of you and we wish you good luck next year in Graduate School.

Love Edna, Haim, Sharon, Elad, and Limor

Nicole Renee Mitchell

Congratulations and Good Luck, Nicole! You've made us proud of you!

Love Mom and Dad

Carol Ann Caswell

We knew you could do it! Congratulations.

Mom, Dad, Pearl, Deb, Chuck, Noel, Shane, Faith, Mike, Shannon, Austin, & Moddie

Herick Louis

Anything is possible...

Kevin McCarthy

You have always made us proud! Congratulations, Good Luck.

Love Mom and Dad

Jessica Grady

I'm so proud of you.
I wish you all the luck
in the future.

Love
Mom, Kev, and Felony

Jessica Grady

Good luck in all your
future endeavors.

Love you dearly,

Nana Grady

Melissa Dempsey Tedesco

Congratulations mommy.
I'm so proud to be your
daughter. Daddy and
I are lucky to have such a
successful mommy and wife.

Love, Brenna

Melissa Dempsey Tedesco

We're so proud of you.
It's taken a lot of hard
work and we always knew
you would succeed.

Love, Mark and Brenna

Jessica Grady

I want you to know
how proud I am of you,
and how much
I love you -
Even when you get into
an accident.

Congratulations and
Butterfly Kisses.

Dad

Jessica Grady

You go girl!
We love you so -
Here's to a great future.

Love, Uncle Bob, Aunt
MB, Lindsay, Abby and
Thomas XO

Suzanne Dumas

I'm so very proud of you!

Congratulations!

Love, Justin

Robert Amadeu Lorenzatto

Keep away from people who try to belittle your ambitions. Small people always do that, but the really great make you feel that you, too, can become great. -M.T.

Congratulations! With Love,

Your Family

Bill Douighty:

We're so proud of all your accomplishments - a degree and a job. Your hard work has paid off. Good luck and brighter days.
Love, MOM

Danielle Kaplan

Congratulations! You've done it! We're so happy for you-now you deserve to receive all life has to offer.
Love Mom, Katie, Rusty, Rudi, and of course Paul

Amy C. James

Love you, Amy, Congratulations!!! Wishing you many blessings, happiness and success in the future! We are so proud of you.
Love Always,
Mom and Dad

Stacey R. Labonte

You've made us very proud. Congratulations! Reach for the stars. Love, Mom, Dad, Nicole, and Angela.
Good luck in the future
We all love you

Kevin Richard Downey

Congratulations Kevin, you made it. We are very proud of you and wish you nothing but the best for the future.

Love Mom and Dad

Suzanne M. Dumas

A man once said, "In the end the only regrets will be for risks not taken." Follow your dreams now. Don't read this in 30 years and say, "I should've..."
Congratulations
Uncle Jeff & Aunt Lorraine

Suzanne M. Dumas

To a very special Niece in our life, we wish you the best in whatever your dreams are in life.
Congratulations
Auntie Celest & Uncle Roger

Suzanne M. Dumas

May the abundance of Love, Health & Prosperity come to you on Angels wings.

Love
Auntie Ann

Suzanne,

The world can present you with circumstances, but only you decide what those circumstances mean. Look up to the stars to create, to express, to experience your Divine self.
God bless you,
Auntie Gerry & Uncle Jeff

When Uncle Norman and I saw your little butt in the nursery, we knew you were little **Suzanne Dumas**.
Love and Congratulations
Auntie Janet & Uncle Norman

To a very special grandaughter who I think the world of. I wish you the best in everything you do. May life be easy every step of the way. I know Pepere is watching over you & is proud.
Congratulations, **Suzanne**,
Memere

Suzanne M. Dumas

We're so very proud of you. You've worked hard and deserve the best life has to offer. Go for it.
Congratulations. Love,
Mom & Dad

Suzanne M. Dumas

We're a little jealous of you 'cause out of the 3 of us you got the brains and look where it got you. But that's not a problem 'cause we got the looks!
Congratulations,
Love Tim & David

Sandra Siriani

You've made us proud.
We love you.

Roxie & Kasey

Sandra Siriani

Congratulations
and Best of Luck.

Love, Tino and Sissy,
Rocky and Linda,
Kenny and Mamie

Sandra Siriani

I knew you could do it,
keep up the good work.
You're my pride and joy.

Love Grandma

Sandra Siriani

Always a winner
Never a quitter
Forever our daughter

Love Ma and Dad

Sandra Siriani

To my namesake.
You make me proud.
You're the best.

Love,
Your Godmother Sandra

Sandra Siriani

Congratulations!
Best of luck in the future.

Love Amy

Kenneth Peter Scourtas

I'm so proud!
Best of luck to you.

Love Mom

Erich Prescott Ohlendorf

Congratulations and
Best Wishes to my
Special grandson.

Love, Grandma Ohlendorf

Erich Prescott Ohlendorf

Dear Pres,
I am so proud of you!!
I love you and wish you
the best of everything.
Congratulations!

Much love, Mom

Michael Trigilio

Michael, I love and admire you for so many reasons-Let's celebrate! Love H **
Since 2-28-74 you've always achieved what you wanted and never given up. Your hard work has paid off and now you can rest! Love M**
Michael, we are very proud of you, Love D&E**
You perservered and overcame all the obstacles-Now enjoy the success! M,K,E **
Supracalifragilisticexpialidosious, AB,UD,C,C

Michael Trigilio

Michael, we are very proud of you, may all your plans and dreams come true, N&P ** Mike, great job! Well done, L&B **
Michael, to my favorite grandson. You made grandma and me very proud of your effort, Love G PA ** To Michael our big brother, Congratulations, we love you very much, Love L&C **
Michael, Congratulations on a well deserved accomplishment, I'm so proud of you! Love AB

Michael James trigilio

You made me proud in so many ways - I admire your perserverence and love you even more!!

Love, HKT

Amy Blanchard

You've done it!
We are so
proud of you!
We love you to the
moon and back.
Ashley & Daddy

Amy Schrader Blanchard

Congratulations!!
We knew you could do it.
We love you and are
very proud of you.
Love Sammy, Patrick,
David, Mom and Dad

Amy Blanchard

Perserverence pays off
and shows one's
true character.
You are wonderful!
We love you and
are so proud.
Mom & Dad B.

Lilla Pace

Congratulations, Good Luck,
Happiness Always and Much
Success. Your dream has come
true. Best wishes. Great job done.
We're so proud of you, Lilla.
We love you very much.
With all our love
Mom and Dad

Derek Allan Colella

I'm so proud of you,
Daddy!

Love Dominic

Derek Allan Colella

Congratulations, Baby,
You're Amazing!

Love Always & Forever,
Ryanne

Christine Priore

Congratulations on your Graduation!

Love, Eric, Shelby, Sydney, Daisy, Riley, & Foley

Christine M. Priore

You made us proud! Congratulations and Good Luck!

Love, Dad and Frankie

Jennifer Lee Ekbom

You're the best sister anyone could have. Congratulations.

Love your Brother Mathew

Jennifer Lee Ekbom

From little girl to grown woman you have always made us proud. So it comes as no surprise that you have reached another milestone and again we find ourselves so overwhelmed with pride. Remember we will always be here for you. Congratulations!

Love Mom and Stad

Jennifer Ekbom

Jen, life is about dreams, hope, and courage. You've grown into a person we both admire and love. We're so proud of you!

Love John and Amy

Eric Erps

I'm proud to say that's my Grandson.

Love you, Memere

Eric Erps

Congratulations on a job well done. We are very proud of you. Remember to believe in yourself and all things are possible. Never settle, seek the best and never be afraid to give up the good to go for the great.

Love Mom, Nana & Keith

Lorilynn Fenton

Great job!!
We are so proud of you!
You are going to be a
super teacher.
Congratulations!!!
Love Mom & Dad

Jeffrey Crompton

Congratulations
From Nana Crompton

Jeff Crompton

We're so very proud of you!
You worked very hard and
accomplished so much.
We wish only the best for
you in the years to come.
Congratulations!
Love, Mom & Dad

Lorilynn Fenton

You've made me extremely
proud. Your dedication to
your future career has finally
paid off. Congratulations,
good luck, and I will always
be here for you.
Love Always, Joe

Erin McSheehy

Congratulations, Erin!
You've earned it and
you deserve it!
Love Mom, Dad,
& The Boys

James A. Powers

"Preppy," Congratulations
on your graduation.
No more morning drive time
with your buds on the radio.
Welcome to the real world.
Love Mom & Dad

Michelle Ferrante

Congratulations!
You have done a
great job. We are truly
proud of you, lead on!
Love Mom & Dad

Daniel E. Lufkin

Congratulations from Mom, John, Drew, Adam, J.R., Mary Lou, Dad, and Amy....of course Joelle!

Wilma Pizarro

Tu felicidad es nuestra felicidad. Tu exito es nuestro exito. Te amamos Familia Pizarro.
Your happiness is our happiness. Your accomplishments are our accomplishments. We love you.
Pizarro Famiy

WHAT SENIORS WILL MISS ABOUT SSC:

-FRIENDS

-LIVING ON CAMPUS

-GOOD TIMES

-SOCIAL WORK STUDENTS AND FACULTY

-REPERTORY DANCE THEATRE

-THE OPPORTUNITIES

-BEING INVOLVED IN GROUPS & CLUBS

-SOME GREAT PROFESSORS

-ALWAYS HAVING A VARYING SCHEDULE

-MEETING PEOPLE FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE

-SATURDAY TRIPS TO DOWNTOWN SALEM

-THE BUSINESS SCHOOL

-THE ENTIRE COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

-EDUCATION-OPENING MINDS ABOUT LIFE

-PARTIES

Senior Week

Senior Awards

Freedom Cruise

EXI

Blue Man Group

WHATEVER YOUR AGE!"
BLUE
MAN
GROUP

YOU'LL LOSE
YOUR MIND!"
"BLUE MAN GROUP
IS BRILLIANT!
"DON'T MISS
BLUE MAN GROUP
WHATEVER YOUR AGE!"
BLUE
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Clam Bake

Graduation

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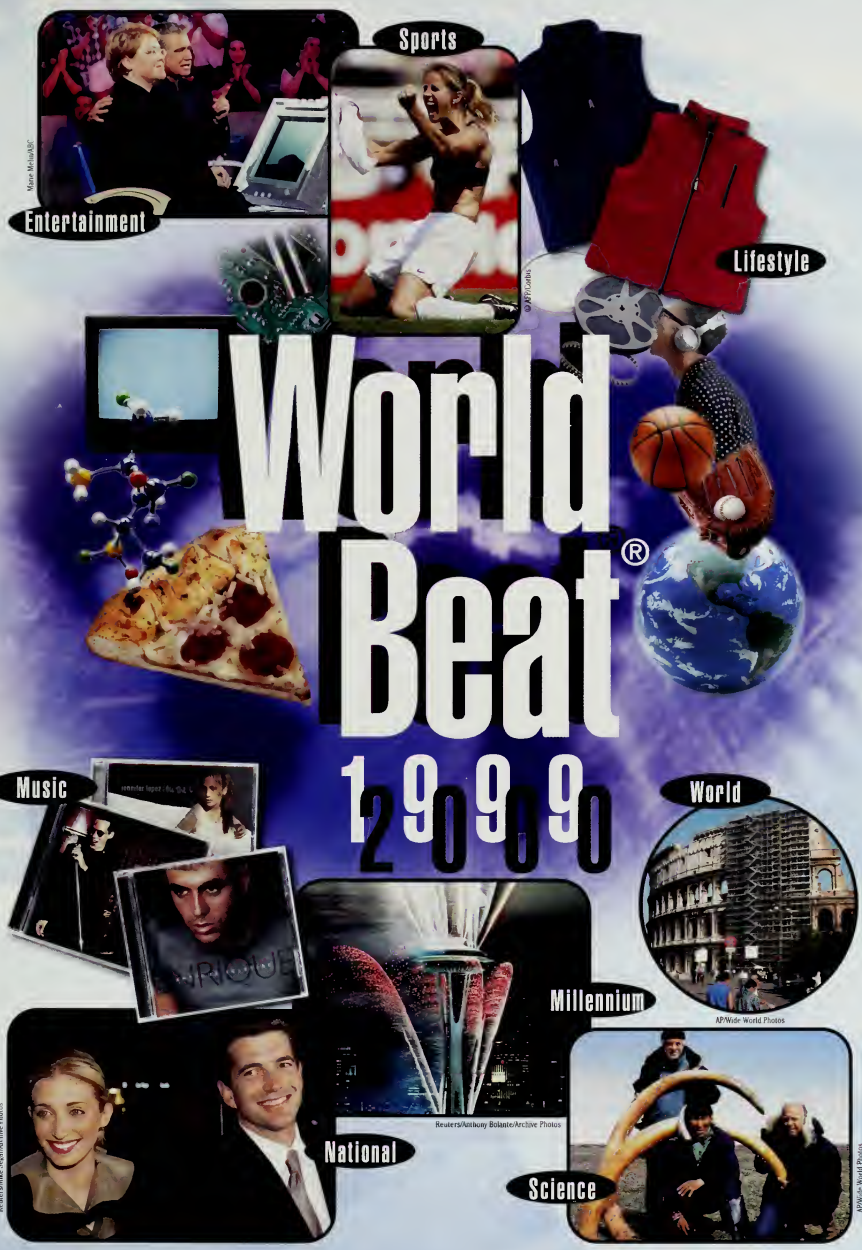
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World News

AP/Wide World Photos

As part of Rome's continuing restoration, the city unveils a plan to create an 18,000-square-yard rambling space connecting the Imperial Forums with the Roman Forum.

EgyptAir Flight 990 crashes into the Atlantic Ocean on October 31, killing all 217 people on board. Although suspicious actions of a pilot are under scrutiny by American and Egyptian officials, the cause of the crash remains a mystery.

Reuters/Sipa Press Photos

On October 12, the world's official population hits 6 billion. The designated 6 billionth human is a baby boy born in Sarajevo.

AP/Wide World Photos

In September, more than 300,000 Japanese are checked for radiation exposure after an inadvertent nuclear reaction at a uranium processing plant.

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Nearly a million ethnic Albanians flee Yugoslavia and thousands are killed after Serbs begin a violent ethnic cleansing campaign in 1998. Seventy-eight days of NATO bombing bring the war to an end in June. An international tribunal later charges Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic with crimes against humanity.

In an October coup, the Pakistani army dismisses elected Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif and his government after Sharif announces the removal of his powerful military chief, General Pervaiz Musharraf.

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In a violent October coup, gunmen storm the Armenian Parliament and assassinate Prime Minister Vazgen Sarkisian and six other top officials.

Flash

Britain's Prince Edward marries longtime girlfriend Sophie Rhys-Jones on June 19.

Cuban Elian Gonzalez, 6, becomes the center of a bitter citizenship debate after surviving a November boat wreck off the Florida coast in which his mother dies.

AP/Wide World Photos

In India, two trains collide head-on in August, killing 285 people and injuring more than 300. It is one of the worst train disasters in the country's history.

1999

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In June, Thabo Mbeki succeeds President Nelson Mandela, South Africa's first democratically elected president.

Leonardo da Vinci's "The Last Supper" is unveiled in June after 21 years of restoration. The centimeter-by-centimeter rehabilitation cost $7.7 million and involved electronic microscopes.

Lanson Agency

In September, Russia begins a military campaign against Chechen nationalists to regain control of the breakaway republic. More than 200,000 people flee the region, but a fierce rebel resistance stays to fight for control of the capital, Grozny.

AP/Wide World Photos/Robert Kang

After almost nine years in power, Russian President Boris Yeltsin announces his resignation in January 2000. Yeltsin names Prime Minister Vladimir Putin acting president pending elections in March.

Pierre Vauthey/Corbis Sygma

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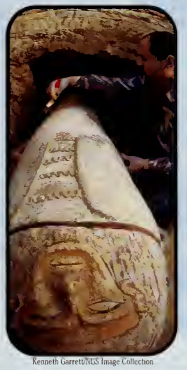
In September and October, powerful earthquakes strike around the globe, killing 15,000 people in Turkey, 1,450 in Taiwan and at least 122 in Greece.



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Archaeologists excavate 105 mummies in a 2,000-year-old underground Egyptian tomb believed to contain a total of 10,000 mummies. The necropolis will shed new light on the Greco-Roman era and will allow scholars to chart demographic data and the incidence of disease.

Flash

A tropical depression producing heavy rain hits Mexico in November. The resulting floods kill more than 350 people and cause 100,000 to evacuate.

In August, the U.S. pays $4.5 million to victims of NATO's accidental bombing of the Chinese embassy in Belgrade. Three Chinese are killed and 27 are wounded in the May 1999 bombing.

AP/Wide World Photos

On December 31, the U.S. returns control of the Panama Canal to Panama. Opened to the world in 1914, the canal is considered one of the greatest construction achievements in American history.

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AP/Wide World Photos

In December, torrential rains cause Venezuela's worst natural disaster of the century. Mudslides and flash floods kill up to 30,000 people, while damage estimates run into the billions of dollars.

National News

Reuters/Max Sigan/Archive Photos

In July, John F. Kennedy Jr., 38, his wife, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy, 33, and her sister, Lauren Bessette, 34, die in an airplane crash in the Atlantic Ocean near Martha's Vineyard. Kennedy, a relatively inexperienced pilot, is believed to have become disoriented in heavy fog.

Cartoonist Charles M. Schulz retires in January 2000, bringing an end to PEANUTS, America's most popular comic strip for almost 50 years. Schulz dies in February, the night before his last strip runs in the national newspapers.

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As a way to boost tourism, Chicago displays 301 life-size, fiberglass cows decorated by local artists. The public art exhibit lasts all summer until the cows are auctioned for charity.

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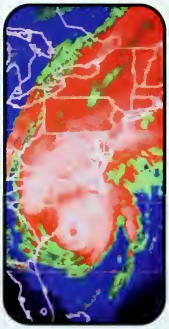
Hurricane Floyd strikes the East Coast in September, killing 51 people and destroying over 4,000 homes. North Carolina is hardest hit with total damages estimated at a record $6 billion.



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The drought of 1999 causes severe damage to Northeastern and mid-Atlantic farms. Several states impose mandatory water use restrictions and emergency federal loans are made available in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia.

Lewis and Clark's Native American guide Sacagawea is featured on a new gold-colored dollar coin released into circulation in early 2000.

Beginning in 1999, the U.S. Mint releases specially designed state quarters, the first five representing Connecticut, Georgia, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. By 2008, each state will have its own quarter.

Flash

In August, a rare tornado strikes downtown Salt Lake City. Winds up to 112 miles per hour make it Utah's second-worst tornado in history.

In July, Air Force Colonel Eileen Collins, 42, becomes the first woman to command a U.S. space shuttle mission.

AP/Wide World Photos

President Clinton announces the removal of the American bald eagle from the endangered species list. In 1999, there are over 5,800 breeding pairs, an increase from 417 in 1963.

1999

Dave McDermand/Bryan College Station Eagle/Corbis Sygma

In November, a 60-foot log tower collapses at Texas A&M University, killing 12 students and injuring 27. The tower was to be burned at a traditional bonfire pep rally.

Reuters/Robert Sorbo/Archive Photos

In November, protesters at the World Trade Organization (WTO) summit in Seattle provoke a show of force by local, state and federal officers. Protesters blame the WTO for eroding human rights and labor and environmental standards.

On April 20, 1999, the nation mourns after two students go on a shooting rampage at Columbine High School in Colorado, wounding 23 and killing 15, including themselves. Schools across the country take extensive security measures to ensure the safety of students and staff.

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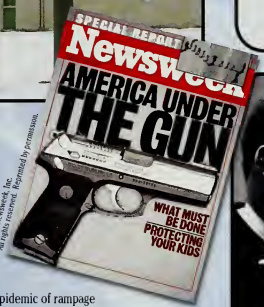

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An epidemic of rampage shootings intensifies America's growing concern over gun control. Many state legislatures pass new gun-control measures despite nationwide controversy over restrictions vs. Second Amendment rights.

In an effort to ease the burden on the traditional courts, most states now offer teen court for juvenile offenders. After determining guilt, a jury of teens along with a judge decides the sentence, typically community service and financial restitution.

Timothy C. Sharp

Ron Garrison, San Diego Zoo/Reuters/Archive Photos

In August, a female panda is born at the San Diego Zoo. Hua Mei, which can mean "China USA" or "Splendid Beauty," is the first panda born in the Western Hemisphere in nearly a decade.

© Flip Schulke/Corbis

Despite 30 years of official denial, in December a jury finds the assassination of Reverend Martin Luther King Jr. was the result of a conspiracy, not the act of a lone gunman.

Flash

In the first such admission by a cigarette manufacturer, Philip Morris publicly concedes tobacco is addictive and can cause serious diseases.

Hillary Clinton announces her candidacy for a U.S. Senate seat from New York. As law requires, Clinton establishes New York residency in suburban Chappaqua.

1-800-4MY-TEEN

A bumper sticker invites drivers to call a toll-free number to report reckless driving. Officials hope the system will help parents stay informed about their teenagers' driving habits.

Reuters/Jeff Christensen/Archive Photos

In September, Microsoft Corp. Chairman Bill Gates and his wife Melinda announce the creation of the Gates Millennium Scholars Program. The Gateses will donate $1 billion over the next 20 years to finance scholarships for minority college students.

2000

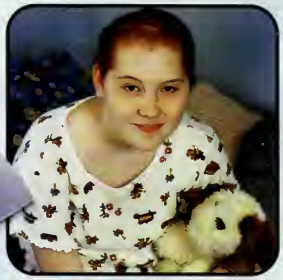
Science News

AP/Wide World Photos

In August, NASA releases photos from the Chandra X-ray orbiting telescope of a hot cloud of gas from a star that exploded more than three centuries ago. The telescope took 23 years and $1 billion to develop.

Immersion Corporation

FEELit technology allows users to experience computer technology through their mouse. Users can "feel" buttons, text, the weight of a stuffed desktop folder and the groove of a scroll bar.



Lincoln Journal Star

Fifteen-year-old Amber Ramirez undergoes surgery in which half of her brain is removed to stop the spread of a rare neurological disease. Doctors hope the remaining portion of Ramirez's brain will compensate for the removed tissue.

Courtesy of Dallas Semiconductor

The Java Ring contains a computer chip providing electronic access into buildings for students. Eventually the ring could be used as a library card, digital wallet, electronic ID and authentication for students' online homework.

AP/Wide World Photos

The body of a 23,000-year-old woolly mammoth is discovered in October frozen in the Russian tundra. Study of the preserved fur, organs and soft tissue could unlock the mystery of why the species died out.

Cyberonics, Inc.

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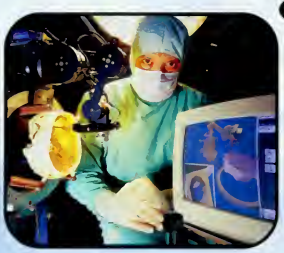
In an epilepsy treatment breakthrough, surgeons implant a "pacemaker" into the chest with a seizure-preventing nerve stimulator connected to the brain. The computer-controlled, battery-powered unit can last up to five years.



Intuitive Surgical, Inc.

In August, U.S. surgeons begin using computer-enhanced robotic technology for heart bypass surgery. Because the chest cavity is never opened, this technique reduces pain and shortens recovery time.

Flash

Researchers announce in July the creation of a cancerous human cell by genetically altering a normal one. This significant breakthrough is an important step toward developing drugs that could potentially wipe out cancer.

In December, IBM announces a $100 million research initiative to build a supercomputer 500 times more powerful than current models.

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AP/Wide World Photos

On August 11, the last total solar eclipse of the millennium crosses the globe. Thousands of people from Canada to India experience daytime darkness during which the moon completely covers the sun.

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Parents, with help from their doctor, select the gender of their baby using a technique called MicroSort, which separates X-bearing (female-determining) and Y-bearing (male-determining) sperm. The success rate is about 92 percent for females and 69 percent for males.

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Researchers at Massachusetts General Hospital reveal in July that they have successfully regenerated the central nervous system of lab rats with severed spinal cords. Applications for human paralysis treatment are very encouraging.

The jawbones of two kangaroo-sized dinosaurs are discovered in Madagascar in October. Dated to the early Triassic period, 230 million years ago, the bones could be the oldest dinosaur fossils ever found.

Reuters/Scott Olson/Archive Photos

A new board game, Infection, hits stores in July. Fun and educational, players race around the board catching diseases, described in detail, and trying to be cured.

Boeing Media

In October, Sea Launch Company, a multi-national consortium, launches the first commercial satellite into space from a floating platform in the Pacific Ocean. Boeing is a major partner in the venture, along with companies in Russia, Ukraine and Norway.

Reuters/New Leader/Archive Photos

In October, biologists isolate one of the enzymes that sets Alzheimer's disease in motion. This scientific discovery will lead to new treatments and, possibly, a cure. Over 4 million Americans, including former President Ronald Reagan, are living with the disease.

Reuters/Archive Photos

Researchers report they have successfully altered the learning and memory behavior of mice by inserting a gene into their brains. This genetic-engineering breakthrough may be helpful in treating human learning disorders and Alzheimer's disease.

Flash

In June, scientists announce the creation of two new elements. The nucleus of new, super-heavy element 118 decays into element 116 within a millisecond.

Scientists studying Albert Einstein's preserved brain report it has unique characteristics. The region governing mathematical ability and spatial reasoning is significantly larger than normal.

AP/Wide World Photos

To mark the 30th anniversary of the first moon landing, astronaut Neil Armstrong's lunar footprint is featured on a 1999 postage stamp.

2000

Lifestyle News

Maybelline

Cosmetic companies increasingly use entertainment celebrities instead of models for their advertisements. Sarah Michelle Gellar, Jennifer Love Hewitt, Jennifer Lopez and Shania Twain are among the celebs who appear in ads.

The fashion accessory of 1999 goes by many names – power beads, mood beads and prayer beads. Many sellers claim the beads boost tranquility, energy, creativity and intelligence.

Ian Spanier

Airlines begin installing elaborate in-flight entertainment systems that allow passengers to watch movies, play computer games, listen to music, read headlines or browse the Internet.

Eric Sanderson Agency

With the huge increase in cell phones, many cities enact laws restricting their use while driving. Restaurants and theaters are also requiring patrons to turn phones off as a courtesy to others.

AP/Wide World Photos

Reuters/Robert Carbel/Archive Photos

In August, a Levi Strauss & Co. megastore opens in San Francisco. The store features a hot tub where shoppers can soak in their jeans for the perfect fit and a computer-scanning system to help customers get the right size.

A continuation of the cargo pants trend, messenger bags with pockets galore hang at the hips of teens everywhere.

AP/Wide World Photos

Apple Computer introduces its new iBook laptop in September. The super-slim, neon-colored units follow the highly successful launch of the translucent iMac desktop.

Flash

In December, Honda introduces Insight, a car that combines a conventional gasoline engine with a small electric motor, decreases ozone and carbon dioxide emissions and gets 80 mpg.

Several companies offer "digital wallets" for teens who want to shop online but don't have credit cards. Parents deposit money into an online account; then teens can spend the money at designated Web sites.

1999

Courtesy Aromapharmacy

A new line of scented candles called Aromapharmacy comes in amber glass containers and looks like prescription drug bottles with creative names such as Ritalert, Cramprin and Valiumello.

Reuters/Kimmasa Mayama/Archive Photos

Wireless Web access becomes a reality in September when Sprint PCS announces the first nationwide wireless data service. Shortly thereafter, several other providers debut similar service for hand-held Web phones.

Globe Photos Inc./Andrea Renault

Shawls and wraps show up everywhere in the fashion world. Hollywood celebrities like Salma Hayek sport the fashion trend in all colors and fabrics.

Inline skaters can now power themselves along with the new Roller Cycle Personal Power Accelerator featuring a 1.5-hp-driven wheel. An optional spiked rubber tire for traction makes it also possible to use while cross-country skiing.

Roller Cycle

Keane-Bridwell/PDI, Inc.

A Gap TV advertisement for vests starts a trend across America that has teenagers wearing the fashionable sleeveless jackets.

All Photos: World Photo/Ben Margot

Several rappers start their own clothing lines, making hip-hop wear big business. Popular artist labels include FUBU, Roc-A-Wear, Phat Farm, Wu Wear, Sean John and X-Large.

Stretchy nylon jewelry that looks like skin tattoos is a big hit in 1999. The nylon bands are worn around necks, wrists, arms and ankles, and come in several colors.

Courtesy Magellan Corporation

Magellan, a satellite navigation system for motorists, offers complete U.S. mapping data, voice and visual instructions in seven languages, turn-by-turn directions and a library of points of interest.

Flash

Teenagers need an average of nine hours and 15 minutes of sleep a night, according to research at Brown University's Bradley Hospital. The study also shows a direct correlation between school grades and duration of sleep.

An influx of dot-com companies advertise on television. Ads during the Super Bowl sell for an average of $2.2 million per 30-second commercial.

California Prune Board

A growing number of U.S. school cafeterias offer pruneburgers, a healthy low-fat combination of hamburger and prune puree. Other prune items in the works include hot dogs, pizza sauce, barbecue sauce and gingerbread cookies.

2000

Entertainment News

Photofest

The Sixth Sense with Bruce Willis and Haley Joel Osment is the No. 1 box office hit for five consecutive weekends in the summer.

Video game fans snap up a record 15,000 copies of Sega's highly anticipated Dreamcast system in the first 24 hours after its launch in September.

ABC's summer fill-in quiz show "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire," with host Regis Philbin, returns in November and is a huge hit with viewers. By January 2000, several major networks launch quiz shows of their own.

Marc Nelson/ABC

After 19 nominations, Susan Lucci finally wins an Emmy Award for best actress in a daytime drama series for her role as Erica Kane on the ABC soap opera "All My Children."

AP/Wide World Photos

Photofest

The Blair Witch Project, the year's surprise movie hit, is the documentary-style footage of three students lost in the Maryland woods and threatened by the presumed Blair Witch. The film costs $100,000 to make and grosses $140 million.

Launched in January 1999, MTV's "The Tom Green Show" becomes one of the season's most popular shows. The Canadian host's bizarre man-on-the-street pranks are the show's main attraction.

Andrew Swanson/Corbis Outline

Photofest

Jennifer Love Hewitt leaves "Party of Five" to star in her own Fox television drama, "Time of Your Life." The show focuses on Hewitt's character trying to make it in New York while searching for her biological father.

Flash

Tom Hanks and Tim Allen return as the voices of Woody and Buzz Lightyear in the animated feature Toy Story 2. The sequel breaks box-office records during its Thanksgiving release and wins a Golden Globe award.

In a botched stunt, WWF wrestler Owen Hart falls from the rafters at Kemper Arena and dies in front of 16,300 fans.

1999

Photofest

In June, Mike Myers' sequel *Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me* proves to be a bigger hit than the 1997 original. Dr. Evil's alter ego Mini-Me is extremely popular even though he has no lines.

Konami Corporation of America, Inc.

The new arcade game Guitar Freaks features two guitar controllers and a screen to help players follow along to popular songs.

Photofest

In December, actor Jim Carrey portrays zany comedian Andy Kaufman in *Man on the Moon*. Carrey wins a Golden Globe award for his performance.

American Beauty, starring Kevin Spacey, Annette Bening and Thora Birch, captures the Golden Globe Best Drama Award. The dark satire of suburbia and family dysfunction receives a total of six Golden Globe nominations.

Photofest

Dreamworks Television

Set in 1980, the critically acclaimed NBC show "Freaks and Geeks" follows two groups of teens trying to make their way through high school.

Photofest

The long-awaited prequel *Star Wars*: Episode I *The Phantom Menace* hits theaters in May 1999, taking in a record-breaking $28.5 million on its opening day and going on to gross more than $420 million.

Six Flags Great Adventure

Medusa, the world's first floorless roller coaster, opens in August at Six Flags Great Adventure in New Jersey. The 4,000-foot, toe-dangling ride has enough drops, loops, rolls and corkscrews to thrill every rider.

Flash

Michael J. Fox announces in January 2000 he will leave the popular ABC sitcom "Spin City" at the end of the season to promote awareness of Parkinson's disease in hopes of finding a cure.

After 10 seasons, Fox cancels the hit show "Beverly Hills, 90210." The show followed characters through high school, college and careers.

AP/Wide World Photos

In September, the New Roc City entertainment center opens in New York. The complex includes an amusement park ride on the roof, two skating rinks, 19 movie screens, restaurants, an arcade, a health club, a supermarket and a hotel.

2000

The Everett Collection

The Talented Mr. Ripley, starring Matt Damon, Gwyneth Paltrow, Jude Law and Cate Blanchett, opens in December and earns popular and critical praise.

Music News

Rolling Stone Photo/Retna Photos

Released in June, Santana's *Supernatural* shoots up the *Billboard* album chart, sells over 6 million copies, and earns 10 Grammy nominations.

U.S. sales of music by Latin artists shoot up 48 percent in the first quarter of 1999 thanks to artists such as Ricky Martin, Jennifer Lopez, Enrique Iglesias and Marc Anthony.

Superstar Mariah Carey releases *Rainbow* in November and begins a world tour in February 2000. Carey is named *Billboard* Music Awards Artist of the Decade and is awarded the distinguished American Music Award of Achievement.

AP/Wide World Photos/Laurie Kotch

Britney Spears' album ...*Baby One More Time* is the second-best-selling album of 1999, earning Spears the *Billboard* Music Awards Female and New Artist of the Year Awards.

AP/Wide World Photos

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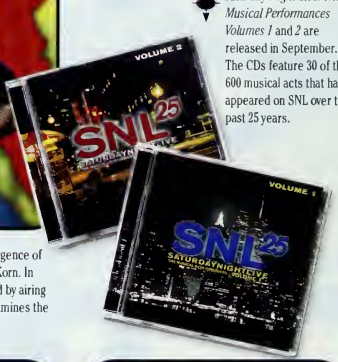
Limp Bizkit leads the way in the resurgence of rock music, along with Kid Rock and Korn. In September, MTV showcases the trend by airing "1999: Return of the Rock," which examines the history and future of rock music.

Saturday Night Live: The Musical Performances Volumes 1 and *2* are released in September. The CDs feature 30 of the 600 musical acts that have appeared on SNL over the past 25 years.



Computer games feature big music stars on their soundtracks. Sheryl Crow contributes her talent to the *Tomorrow Never Dies* soundtrack, Metallica to *Hot Wheels Turbo Racing* and Naughty by Nature to *NBA Live 2000*.

Flash

Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and the Dixie Chicks are a few musicians who rock Central Park in a first-ever trimulcast concert seen and heard on the radio, television and Internet.

More than 1 million viewers tune in each weekday to vote on their favorite videos on MTV's "Total Request Live" with host Carson Daly and popular musical guests.

1999

Corbis Images

Backstreet Boys' *Millennium* wins the *Billboard* Music Awards Album of the Year and becomes the best-selling album of the year with over 10 million copies sold.

AP/Wide World Photos/Chris Pizzello

In a strange twist, Garth Brooks releases the album *The Life of Chris Gaines* in which he pretends to be a fictional rock star. Gaines will be the main character in a movie called *The Lamb*, currently in development.

Luis Rosa/Globe Photos

Lou Bega's rhythmic "Mambo No. 5" hits the Top 40 in August after selling 2 million copies overseas and topping the chart in 15 countries.

"NetAid," a concert dedicated to relieve hunger and poverty, airs live in October on MTV, VH1, the BBC, as well as radio stations in 120 nations, making it the widest-heard musical performance in history.

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MP3, technology that compresses sound into a very small file, becomes a popular alternative to the CD. MP3 files are downloaded from the Internet onto computers or portable player units, making it possible to take a personal music selection anywhere.

AP/Wide World Photos

Shania Twain becomes the first woman since 1986 to win the Country Music Association's Entertainer of the Year Award at the 33rd annual awards show.

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VH1's "Concert of the Century" spotlights the importance of music education in schools. The all-star show includes Lenny Kravitz, Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and B.B. King, as well as high-profile actors.

Fiona Apple releases her long-awaited second album to rave reviews in November and begins a tour in February 2000. The album features a 90-word title, which is commonly shortened to *When the Pawn*.

Flash

After a successful New Year's Eve reunion performance, the Judds begin their first tour in almost 10 years in February 2000. Since they disbanded in 1991, Naomi has recovered from Hepatitis C.

Best New Artist Grammy nominee Christina Aguilera gives an exciting performance during the Super Bowl XXXIV halftime show.

2000

AP/Wide World Photos

Ricky Martin takes the music industry by storm after his show-stopping performance at the 1999 Grammy Awards show. Martin's first chart-topping single, "Livin' la Vida Loca," helps him win the *Billboard* Music Award for Male Artist of the Year.

Sports News

AP/Wide World Photos/Jeff Zelevanski

David Cone of the New York Yankees pitches a perfect game against the Montreal Expos in July. Cone's feat is the 14th perfect game in modern baseball history.

Lance Armstrong wins the 1999 Tour de France in July. Armstrong, who survived a three-year battle with testicular cancer, becomes the second American to win the event.

William Strange/Liaison Agency

The Dallas Stars beat the Buffalo Sabres 2-1 in triple overtime to win the 1999 Stanley Cup championship, four games to two.

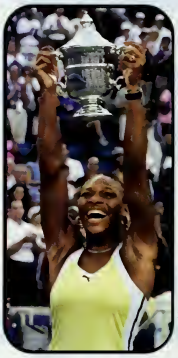
AP/Wide World Photos

Golf champion Payne Stewart is killed in a bizarre airplane accident in October. After the airplane's takeoff from Florida, an apparent loss of cabin pressure incapacitates everyone aboard. The aircraft flies on autopilot for four hours until it runs out of fuel and crashes in South Dakota.

Rusty Jarrett/Allsport

Reuters/Mike Segar/Archive Photos

The St. Louis Rams stop the Tennessee Titans at the 1-yard line on a final play to save their 23-16 Super Bowl XXXIV victory.



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In September, tennis phenom Serena Williams, 17, overpowers Martina Hingis to win the 1999 U.S. Open title.

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Both Detroit Lions running back Barry Sanders and German tennis star Steffi Graf announce their retirement in 1999.

On February 7, 2000, Tiger Woods wins his sixth consecutive PGA Tour event, tying Ben Hogan's 1948 winning record.

AP/Wide World Photos

The Houston Comets earn their third straight WNBA championship in September, beating the New York Liberty 59-47 to win in three straight games.

AP/Wide World Photos/Terry Renna

Dale Jarrett wins the 1999 NASCAR Winston Cup championship after a four-victory season.

1999

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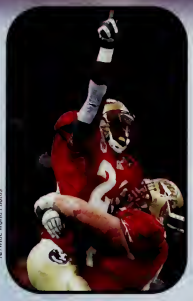
In July, the U.S. women's soccer team wins the 1999 World Cup by beating China 5-4 in penalty kicks following a 0-0 tie. More than 90,000 fans attend at the Rose Bowl and another 40 million watch on television.



AP/Wide World Photos

In the January 2000 Sugar Bowl, No. 1 Florida State beats No. 2 Virginia Tech 46-29 to capture the National Championship.

Travis Pastrana, 15, wins the gold medal in the X Games' inaugural Moto X freestyle motocross event. The fifth year of this ESPN-sponsored competition is held in San Francisco in June and July.

Andre Agassi wins the French Open in June and becomes the fifth man ever to complete a career Grand Slam. Agassi goes on to win the U.S. Open in September.

AP/Wide World Photos

AP/Wide World Photos/Charles Krupa

AP/Wide World Photos

The New York Yankees win the 1999 World Series in a four-game sweep against the Atlanta Braves.

AP/Wide World Photos

In June, the San Antonio Spurs win their first NBA championship by defeating the New York Knicks four games to one.

AP/Wide World Photos

The U.S. team beats the European team to win golf's Ryder Cup at Brookline, Massachusetts, in September. The American's stirring comeback is marred by unruly galleries and a premature victory celebration.

Flash

In July, many major league baseball umpires announce their resignation as a labor protest. The strategy backfires when owners accept the resignations and in September, 22 umpires lose their jobs.

In January 2000, Michael Jordan returns to pro basketball as part owner and President for Basketball Operations of the NBA's Washington Wizards.

2000

AP/Wide World Photos

Twenty-year professional hockey veteran Wayne Gretzky announces his retirement in April 1999 after setting or tying 61 records. Two months later, "The Great One" is inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame.

Millennium

Reuters/Jim Young/Archive Photos

Clock Tower
Ottawa, Canada

Pyramids
Cairo, Egypt

Times Square
New York City,
New York

Patrick Robert/Corbis Sygma

As time zones welcome the new millennium on January 1, the world celebrates with grandeur, pageantry and spectacular fireworks. President Clinton gives a hopeful speech in the minutes before midnight at the Washington Monument, and 2 million people gather in Times Square to watch the specially built 1,000-pound Waterford crystal ball drop at midnight.

Alain Benainous/Corbis Sygma

Reuters/Anthony Roberts/Archive Photos

The Eiffel Tower
Paris, France

Space Needle
Seattle, Washington

Chip Hires/Gamma Agency

Steve Liss/Corbis Sygma

Fearing the collapse of the world's banks, utilities and transportation systems, thousands of people stock up on food, water, money, ammunition and generators. After midnight, it soon becomes apparent that the preparations were unnecessary.

Flash

The public and private sectors spend hundreds of millions of dollars to ward off the Y2K bug. The world lets out a sigh of relief after midnight strikes and no major computer malfunctions occur.

The FBI warns of possible terrorist acts on New Year's Eve and stays on national alert throughout the celebration. After the arrest of one man with bomb-making materials, Seattle decides to cancel its Space Needle celebration.

1999

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A surprising number of people, appalled by the exorbitant costs of travel and events, decide to stay home on New Year's Eve. Many companies and performers drastically slash prices as a last-minute lure.

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